Midlothian District

Terri Cofer Beirne Chesterfield County Board of Supervisors



Ms. Terri Cofer Beirne was appointed by the Board of Supervisors on July 26, 2006 to serve as Interim Midlothian District Supervisor until the November 7, 2006 special election results are certified. Born and raised in Chesterfield County, Beirne received a Bachelor of Arts degree in government and politics from George Mason University and law degree from University of Richmond, T.C. Williams School of Law.

An attorney in the corporate, government relations and land-use practice groups with McCandlish Holton, PC, Beirne represents a variety of businesses in their dealings with government at all levels. Her emphasis is Virginia alcoholic beverage control law, representing Virginia farm wineries individually and collectively before the ABC Board, their local governments and the General Assembly.

Prior to joining McCandlish Holton, she coordinated the Virginia Conservation Network for five years, served as communications coordinator for the Richmond Regional Planning District Commission, and also served as a law clerk for the Virginia State Corporation Commission, Office of General Counsel.

Beirne has been a gubernatorial appointee to the Land Conservation Foundation Board of Trustees since 2002 and is an adjunct professor at Piedmont Virginia Community College. She has served as a Richmond City Council appointee on the Central Virginia Waste Management Authority since 1997 and is a member of the Richmond League of Women Voters.

Beirne is married with a ten-month-old daughter and four step-children aged 14 to 26.